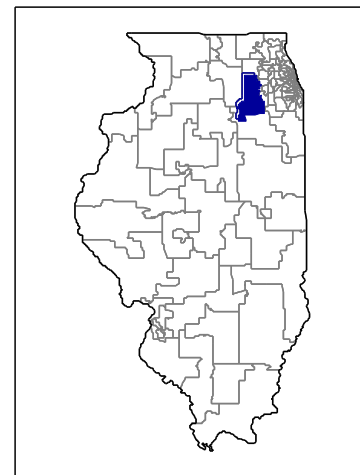


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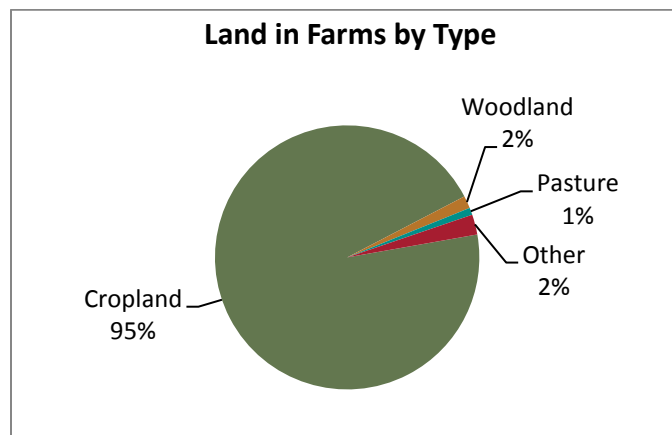
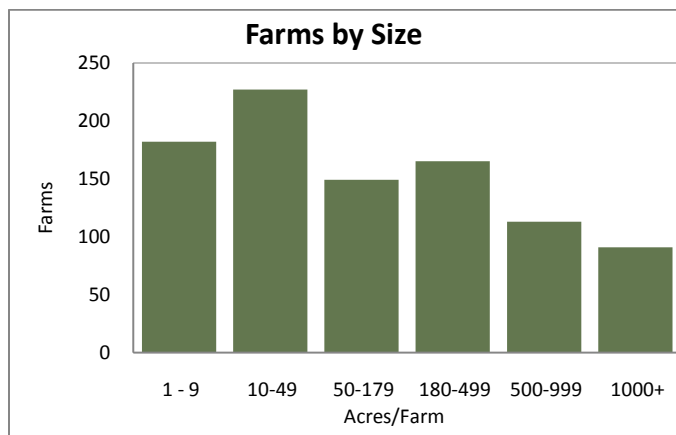


**2007**

<b>Number of Farm Operators</b>	1,405
<b>Number of Farms</b>	927
<b>Land in Farms</b>	347,173 acres
<b>Average Size of Farm</b>	375 acres
<b>Irrigated Land</b>	664 acres

<b>Market Value of Products Sold</b>	\$212,449,000
Average Per Farm Reporting Sales	\$229,179
<b>Gross Income, Farm Related Sources</b>	\$11,907,000

<b>Government Payments</b>	\$7,267,000
Average Per Farm Receiving Payments	\$12,795



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#### Ranked Items Among the 118 House Districts in the State, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe <sup>1</sup>
<b>MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)</b>			
Total value of agricultural products sold	212,449	27	110
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	181,675	27	107
Value of livestock, poultry and their products	30,775	22	81
<b>VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)</b>			
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	157,484	27	99
Tobacco	-	-	3
Cotton and cottonseed	-	-	-
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	1,547	18	69
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	169	17	61
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	18,833	5	84
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	1	55
Other crops and hay	(D)	26	82
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	59
Cattle and calves	16,794	14	68
Milk and other dairy products from cows	793	31	47
Hogs and pigs	11,896	26	54
Sheep, goats, and their products	140	19	55
Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys	314	15	64
Aquaculture	(D)	20	24
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	6	61
<b>TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)</b>			
Corn for grain	217,233	25	96
Soybeans for beans	92,763	30	95
Wheat for grain, all	6,151	25	63
Forage - land used for all hay, haylage, grass silage, and green chop	4,918	31	83
Nursery stock	2,626	2	65
<b>TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)</b>			
Hogs and pigs	58,006	22	53
Cattle and calves	12,660	27	72
Turkeys	(D)	12	43
Horses and ponies	2,111	11	80
Mink and their pelts	(D)	4	5

#### Other Assembly District Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	183	Farming	493
\$1,000 to \$2,499	87	Other	434
\$2,500 to \$4,999	45		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	57	Principal operators by sex:	
\$10,000 to \$19,999	44	Male	820
\$20,000 to \$24,999	23	Female	107
\$25,000 to \$39,999	47		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	21	Average age of principal operator (years)	56
\$50,000 to \$99,999	74		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	144	All operators by race <sup>2</sup> :	
\$250,000 to \$499,999	96	American Indian or Alaskan Native	-
\$500,000 or more	106	Asian	2
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	153,940	Black or African American	2
Average per farm (\$)	166,062	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-
		White	1,357
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	77,684	More than one race	10
Average per farm (\$)	83,801	All operators of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin <sup>2</sup>	20

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

<sup>1</sup> Universe is number of assembly districts in state with item.

<sup>2</sup> Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.